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In re the application of)
ROBERT J. LIPSHUTZ et al.) Examiner: J. Riley
Application No.: Unassigned) Art Unit: 1656
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AMENDMENT A

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the application on the merits, please amend the application as follows.

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 6 with the following: now US Pat 6,300,063

This application is a continuation of 08/853,370, filed May 8, 1997, which is a now US Pat 5,858,659 continuation-in-part of 08/563,762, filed November 29, 1995, and claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application 60/017,260, filed May 10, 1996, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference in their entirety for all purposes.

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